

TWO TICKETS CERTAIN

JUSTICE HUGHES
MAY BE NOMINEE

On the Republican Ticket While
Roosevelt Will Doubtless
Head the Other.

WANT COLONEL ON SCENE

Republican National Convention
Will Make Presidential
Nomination Friday.

CHICAGO, June 8.—As political
Colonel Theodore Roosevelt will go
to Chicago if "the Republican con-
vention desires me to address it." This
he announced today in a reply made
last night to the invitation he received
from Senator William B. Jackson, of
Maryland, asking him to come to
Chicago.

The colonel declared in his answer
that he hoped both the Republicans
and Progressives who, if elected,
would place this nation where it be-
longs by making it true to itself and
therefore true to all mankind. President
Wilson, he said, "had rendered to
this people the most evil service that
can be rendered to a great democ-
racy."

Col. Roosevelt said that "the differ-
ences that have divided not merely
Republicans and Progressives but
good Americans of all political be-
liefs sink into nothing when compared
to the issues now demanding deci-
sions, the issues of unified Ameri-
canism and national preparedness."
Col. Roosevelt further declared
that "in the face of the awful world
catastrophes this nation has stood
supine and helpless," and that "no
excuse now made by those responsible
for this inaction is entitled to serious
consideration. It is for you and your
associates to show the people that
they have a worthy alternative to
which to turn."

"Can we not," he asked, "forget-
ting past differences now join for the
safety and honor of our country to
enforce the policy of genuine Ameri-
canism and genuine preparedness?"

CHICAGO, June 8.—As political
leaders gathered for the second day's
session of the Republican and Pro-
gressive national conventions it be-
came more and more apparent that
there would be two tickets in the
field. Victor Murdock, chairman of
the Progressive national committee,
summed up the whole situation when
he said today:

"Well, we left the door open and
the Republicans don't seem to be
coming in."

That was the Progressive leader's
reply to inquiries as to whether there
remained any prospect for harmony
and whether there was likely to be
appointed today conference commit-
tees representing both parties to re-
ceive and pass upon peace sugges-
tions.

Peace Talk Discounted.
Republican leaders too discounted
the success of the peace talk, saying
that action had been delayed for so
long that a majority of the Republi-
can delegates already have decided
to proceed without regard for any
third party and nominate Justice
Hughes, to whom the most support
has been gathered.

There are some among the Pro-
gressives and some among Roosevelt
Republicans as well who still believe
the colonel could save the day if he
would come to Chicago. Representa-
tive Gardner, of Massachusetts,
who was defeated for Republican dele-
gate at large from Massachusetts on a
Roosevelt ticket pleaded with Pro-
gressive leaders to bring Colonel
Roosevelt on without delay. Word
came from Oyster Bay, however, that
Roosevelt had received the telegram
from Republican National Commit-
tee member Jackson, of Maryland, sent
yesterday urging him to come here
in the interest of harmony. While
the colonel announced it was not his
present intention to accept the invita-
tion, he would make public his reply
later and he did not indicate
what its tenor would be.

To Nominate Friday.
The Republican nomination for
president probably will be made in
the Coliseum tomorrow, but it is not
expected the convention will adjourn
before Saturday. Ostensibly the ses-
sion will be prolonged to give more
deliberate consideration than is usual
to a nomination for second place, but
the real purpose, it is believed, is to
avoid adjournment before the Pro-
gressive convention has acted.

The Progressive convention prob-

ably will not nominate before Satur-
day. There will only be a few hours
of session today and that will be de-
voted to platform making and other
routine. The delegates are confident
that on Saturday they will name as
their ticket Roosevelt and Johnson,
their standard bearers of four years
ago.

Fairbanks or Burton.
While there has been little real
discussion by Republicans of vice
presidential possibilities and it is
recognized that geographical condi-
tions and political expediency will
govern, considerable talk was heard
today indicating that there might be
concentration on either Former Vice
President Fairbanks, of Indiana, or
former Senator Burton, of Ohio.

Nothing will be settled as to the
vice presidency, however, until the
head of the ticket has been chosen.
The convention was called to order
after much delay and confusion. It
was just 11:22 when Chairman
Harding brought down the gavel. His
call for order brought almost imme-
diate response and the aisles were
ordered cleared.

Chairman Harding asked the con-
vention to rise while Monsignor Fran-
cis Kelley read a prayer. The con-
vention stood in silence as he read
the invocation.

Band Is Stopped.
Chairman Harding was ready to go
on with the next business but the
band began "Rock of Ages." When
through the first bar, however, the
band leader saw he was out of order
and stopped.

Mr. Harding then called for the
report of the credentials committee.
Senator Smoot, the chairman, came
upon the platform to make the report
and was greeted with applause.

Report Adopted.
The report recommending the seat-
ing of 887 delegates was read by the
senator with a list of the decisions
in contested cases. It excluded two
delegates from the District of Col-
umbia, admitted two each from
Alaska and Hawaii.

The report of the credentials com-
mittee was unanimously adopted.
The committee on permanent or-
ganization reported in favor of mak-
ing the temporary organization per-
manent. It was adopted unanimously.
Permanent Chairman Harding
received an ovation and thanked the
convention for the honor.

The report of the rules committee
was next but it was not ready and
at the chairman's request the band
started up again while awaiting the
report.

Smoot Recognized.
He stopped the music to recognize
Senator Smoot again for a supple-
mental report from the credentials
committee. It proposed to give votes
to the six delegates from Hawaii, Por-
to Rico and the Philippines. It was
adopted without opposition.

That made the total number of
votes in the convention 989, making
495 votes necessary to a nomination.
Finally the report of the rules
committee was ready and National
Committee member C. B. Warren, of
Michigan, presented it. It was a
unanimous report.

Briefly the rules of the convention
are those of the House of Representa-
tives with certain modifications to
adapt them to the needs of so differ-
ent a body.

Depew on Platform.
The report of the resolutions com-
mittee was the new order of business
but the chairman announced that
with the arbitrary authority which
goes with the gavel he would appoint
former Secretary Stinson and Speak-
er Sweet of New York, to escort
Chauncey M. Depew to the platform.
Bowing and smiling Mr. Depew took
his place while the delegates applauded.

This was taken to mean there was
a delay in bringing in the resolutions
report. Some of the delegates
shouted "speech," and Mr. Depew be-
gan.

Eighty-two years old, the famous
New Yorker topped the convention.
His voice still full and round, car-
ried better than those of younger
men, who had preceded him.

Mr. Depew told the convention it
was the sixty-first anniversary of his
preaching of Republicanism.

World Crisis.
"Today we have a world crisis in
which even Christianity is doubted,"
he said in referring to the war. "We
are entering upon this campaign
either with an assertion of Ameri-
canism that will keep us out of it or
progressive convention has acted."

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DELEGATES AND WIVES AT REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION



Left to right, top: Mrs. Wadsworth, Senator James W. Wadsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey M. Depew. Center: W. Murray Crane and Governor Whitman. Bottom: Governor Whitman and Oscar Strauss.

These pictures, just received from Chicago, show some of the prominent delegates and the wives of Sen-
ator Wadsworth and Chauncey M. Depew of New York. Governors Willis of Ohio and Whitman of New York
are the two most prominent supporters respectively of Senator Burton and Justice Hughes. Oscar Strauss of
New York is a delegate to the Progressive national convention.

SUTHERLAND AND HITE ARE
RUNNING NECK AND NECK

In the State with Robinson Ten
Thousand Ahead of Gen-
eral Lilly.

ROBINSON WINNER HERE

Griffin is Nominated for Sheriff
of the County by a Safe
Majority.

CHARLESTON, June 8.—The
Charleston Mail and the Parkersburg
State Journal, both former Lilly
newspapers, conceded the nomination
of Ira E. Robinson for governor, and
declare they will begin an active
campaign at once for his election in
November.

REED IS NAMED

CHARLESTON, June 8.—Stuart F.
Reed, candidate for Congress in the
Third district, announced this after-
noon that he had returns from all the
counties in the district and that he had
a lead of 1,758 over W. Roy Waugh.
Robinson headquarters here claim his
nomination for governor by 8,000. The
official count may be necessary to de-
cide the state vote between Hite and
Sutherland for the United States Sen-
ate.

MAJORITIES

GRAFTON, June 8.—Robinson head-
quarters at 1 o'clock this afternoon
gave out the complete figures as ma-
jorities for the governorship as based
on returns received there up to that
hour:

Robinson	
Barbour, complete	484
Barber, complete	423
Braxton	500
Brooke	305
Gilmer	300
Grant	200
Greenbrier	300
Hampshire, complete	375
Hancock	300
Hardy	200
Harrison	300
Jefferson	520
Logan	500
Monongalia	500
Marshall	250
McDowell	3,000
Marion, complete	1,004
Mineral, complete	4
Mingo	500
Morgan	500
Ohio, complete	1,480
Pendleton	200
Taylor	700
Webster	350
Randolph	200
Nicholas	200
Ritchie, complete	264
Upshur, complete	230
Wetzel	250
Wirt	300
Tucker	50

Preston	1,200
Wood, complete	103
Pineas, complete	61
Kanawha	300
Fayette	500
Total	17,242
Lilly	
Dodderidge	482
Mercer	738
Lincoln	300
Mason	300
Monroe	140
Clay	125
Putnam, complete	603
Jackson	400
Wyoming	300
Wayne	200
Raleigh	1,000
Summers	400
Boone	143
Tyler	250
Calhoun	150
Cabell	100
Pocahontas	117
Total	6,620
Robinson's majority	10,622

Fifty Harrison county election pre-
dicts out of sixty-four give the fol-
lowing results of Tuesday's primary
election:

For Senator.	
Howard Sutherland, 1,087.	
William F. Hite, 953.	
A. B. White, 809.	
Benjamin L. Rosenbloom, 563.	
For Congress.	
Stuart F. Reed, 2,580.	
H. Roy Waugh, 855.	
For Governor.	
Ira E. Robinson, 2,128.	
A. A. Lilly, 1,539.	
For Secretary of State.	
Houston G. Young, 1,854.	
M. H. King, 1,108.	
Charles H. Henning, 466.	
Superintendent of Schools.	
Morris P. Shawkey, 1,976.	
C. R. Murray, 1,452.	
For Auditor.	
J. S. Darst, 1,303.	
E. L. Long, 1,148.	
Alva B. Moore, 1,131.	
For Treasurer.	
William S. Tolson, 1,166.	
Ellis A. Vost, 1,108.	
R. M. Kittle, 694.	
Charles H. Swearingen, 440.	
For Attorney General.	
Birk S. Stathers, 2,022.	
E. G. Rider, 724.	
E. T. England, 446.	
John T. Whitten, 250.	
Commissioner of Agriculture.	
James H. Stewart, 1,804.	
Howard E. Williams, 1,451.	
For Sheriff.	
Lloyd D. Griffin, 1,656.	
John M. Knox, 1,150.	
L. Wayman Ogden, 1,021.	
Ernest L. Pigott, 328.	
Prosecuting Attorney.	
Will E. Morris, 2,172.	
Ray L. Strother, 1,012.	
John C. Southern, 385.	
W. M. Conaway, 368.	
House of Delegates.	
S. R. Harrison, Jr., 2,208.	

Ross M. Fisher, 1,551.
John Moore, 1,537.
George W. Sturim, 1,473.
William W. Hess, 1,427.
James Boyle, 1,269.
John H. Rinehart, 1,058.
W. E. Edgell, 1,050.
Philander K. Stout, 968.
Fred E. Shetter, 788.
Michele Sangulliano, 237.

For Assessor.
Ira L. Swiger, 1,983.
Frank P. Martin, 1,141.
Charles F. Randall, 687.
County Commissioner.
Dorsey W. Cork, 2,422.
J. W. Johnson, 1,286.
Congressional Committee.
W. G. Osborne, 1,653.
S. S. Faris, 1,068.

The fourteen missing precincts are
as follows:
Monticello school house, Smith's
garden, West end of Adamston, Hep-
zibah, Point Comfort, Northview school
house, White House, Enterprise, Gypsy,
Rosebud, Quiet Dell, Lost Creek, First
Shinnston (incomplete) and Bridge-
port depot.

It is not believed that the returns
from these districts will materially
change the majorities.

As the figures show Howard Suth-
erland will carry the county for
United States senator. Reed carries
the county by a large majority for
Congress. Robinson already has a
majority of about 200 for governor.
Houston G. Young is far ahead in the
county for secretary of state. Morris
P. Shawkey will be Harrison county's
choice for superintendent of schools.
John S. Darst has a good lead in the
county over his competitors for audi-
tor. William S. Johnson will carry
the county for treasurer. Birk S.
Stathers will receive an overwhelm-
ing majority in the county for at-
torney general. James H. Stewart is
far ahead for commissioner of agri-
culture. Lloyd D. Griffin for sheriff
will have a majority of about 500. Will
E. Morris is the nominee for prosecut-
ing attorney. The legislature nomi-
nees will be S. R. Harrison, Jr., George
W. Sturim, John Moore and Ross M.
Fisher. Ira L. Swiger will be nomi-
nated for assessor by a fine majority.
Dorsey W. Cork will have a majority
of more than 1,000 for county commis-
sioner. W. G. Osborne will be the
winner over S. S. Faris for congres-
sional committee man. Wallace B.
Gribble has no opposition for state sen-
ator, nor has Cuthbert A. Osborn for
county surveyor.

John J. Cornwell, conceded to be
the Democratic nominee for govern-
or, carried Harrison county by a vote
nearly three times that accorded both
his competitors combined. On the
basis of the returns compiled in this
county his vote in the county is esti-
mated at a little more than 1,500.
Senator French will receive about
300, and Senator Hogg about 200.
Thus the Hampshire county states-
man will have a plurality over his

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HEAVY FIGHTING IS
YET IN PROGRESS

S. O. S. CALL.
(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)
CHICAGO, June 8.—The Re-
publican resolutions committee
Thursday afternoon sent out a
call for absentees. This was
taken to presage a reconsidera-
tion of the woman suffrage
plank which has been previous-
ly adopted.

HIGH OFFICIALS

Of Phillips Sheet and Tin Plate
Company Inspect the Lo-
cal Plant.

High officials of the Phillips Sheet
and Tinplate Company inspected the
company's local plant this morning,
and left here on their special car this
afternoon for Weirton and Steubenville
to inspect plants of the company.
There were about
eighteen members of the party,
which arrived here on a special car
about 11 o'clock Wednesday night.
Among those in the party were E.
T. Weir, president; D. M. Weir, vice-
president; John C. Williams, assis-
tant to the president; and fifteen di-
rectors of the company from New
York and Pittsburgh.

AMERICAN TROOPS

Are Ordered to Hold Them-
selves in Readiness to Pro-
ceed to City of Peking.

LONDON, June 8.—An Exchange
Telegraph despatch from Tientsin,
China, says the United States troops at
that place have been ordered to hold
themselves in readiness to proceed to
Peking.

The despatch also says that the
French authorities already have de-
spatched a strong force of native
troops from the French protectorate
at Annam to Peking. A delegation of
officers of the bodyguard of the new
president, Li-Yuan-Hung has assured
him of the fealty of the guard.

KNIGHTS TO MEET.

An adjourned meeting of the local
council of the Knights of Columbus
will be held in its hall on West Pike
street at 8 o'clock tonight. There is
important business to be transacted
and a large attendance of members is
expected.

BULL MOOSE KEYNOTE
IS REAL AMERICANISM

Party Platform Planks Ring
with Declarations on Vital
Issues of the Day.

CHICAGO, June 8.—Ring-
ing declarations of Americanism and
preparation, military, spiritual, eco-
nomic and industrial, are keynotes of
the Progressive national platform
completed today in co-operation with
the Republican convention platform
builders. The Progressive platform
leaders hope to present their docu-
ment to the convention today or to-
morrow at the latest.

The "Americanism" planks, minus
direct reference to hyphenism, de-
clare in vigorous terms for uphold-
ing American rights on land and sea,
guarding "the honor and influence
of our nation" and maintenance of
the "integrity of international law."

Present Special Offer
Is to Be Really Largest
In the Big 10,000 Club

Ten Days Yet Remain and Now
is the Time to Get Busy
with Your Big Work.

The triple vote offer will expire just
ten days from today and you will have
lost an opportunity to gather lots of
extra votes. Still, ten days is a lot of
time and you can get busy and get
some good business yet. This is not
the last special offer that will be put
out, but it will be positively the largest.
You can get more votes under this
offer than any to come and if you are
wise, you will do your big work now.
To you, who have not sent in that
nomination, why hesitate?
Do Not Hesitate.
If Fulton had hesitated there would
be no great ocean greynobles.
If Edison had hesitated there would
be no electric lights.
If John D. had hesitated there might
be no king of finance, and no Standard
oil.
These men acted when they saw an
opportunity. They became successful
men who will be long remembered.

In Vicinity of Fort Vaux with
French Occupying Outskirts
of the Fort.

FORT LOSS IS ADMITTED

Garrison Abandons Fort after
It Is Reduced to a Heap
of Ruins.

PARIS, June 8.—Heavy fighting con-
tinued in the vicinity of Fort Vaux. The
war office report of today says French
troops still occupy the outskirts of the
fort as well as the trenches to the
right and left of the works.
The loss of the fort itself, of which
an intimation was given in last night's
report, is conceded. The announce-
ment says the fort was abandoned by
the garrison after it had been reduced
to a heap of ruins by an incessant
bombardment of seven days. German
attacks on the adjacent positions have
been unsuccessful. West of the Meuse
intermittent cannonading was carried
on last night.

The full committee on resolutions of
the Republican national convention did
not resume its work until 11 o'clock
when it immediately entered upon the
consideration of the sub-committee's
draft of a platform.

Much interest centers about the
declarations dealing with affairs in
Mexico, owing largely to the fact that
the members of the sub-committee de-
veloped differences on this question.

The provision adopted by the sub-
committee in addition to its censure of
the Democratic administration of af-
fairs in Mexico calls for the protec-
tion of American lives and property,
not on the Mexican border alone, but
throughout Mexico.

The platform especially calls for
legislation for the protection against
child labor and just as specifically de-
clares for general workmen's compensa-
tion legislation.

Senator Borah introduced the fol-
lowing plank in favor of woman suf-
frage:

"The Republican party reaffirming
its faith in government of the people
by the people and for the people favors
the extension of suffrage to women
as a measure of justice to one-half the
adult people of this country."

The plank was discussed for nearly
an hour and a half and the plank
adopted 26 to 21.

After deciding on the suffrage plank
the committee took up the discussion
of prohibition. After a brief discussion
the committee by an informal vote de-
cided against the inclusion of a pro-
hibition plank in the platform.

L. E. Varner, of Bristol, visited the
city Thursday.

Jesse D. Kennedy, of Lost Creek,
was here Thursday.

STRONG ATTACK ON
POLICY OF WILSON

Toward Mexico is Contained in
a Resolution Adopted by
the Sub-Committee.

CHICAGO, June 8.—The sub-com-
mittee of the Republican committee on
resolutions has adopted plank re-
specting relations with Mexico offered
by Senator Fall, of New Mexico, which
is a strong attack on the administra-
tion's policy. Rejection of a plank
offered by Senator Borah probably will
result in the question being taken be-
fore the full committee.

A proposed plank declaring for
woman suffrage has been rejected by

the sub-committee on resolutions by a
vote of 5 to 4. The fight will be car-
ried before the full committee.
Those voting in favor of the plank
were Senators Borah, Sutherland and
Fall and Representative Madden, of
Illinois. Those voting against were
Senators Wadsworth and Lodge,
Charles Hopkins Clark, of Hartford,
Ct.; former Representative Howland,
of Ohio, and Senator Oliver, of Penn-
sylvania.

Other planks touching on labor,
Americanism, national defense and
other questions have been adopted in
form intended to meet Progressive
sentiment. Planks for the recall, the
initiative and the referendum have
been rejected in the sub-committee.